

direct that all persons arriving at this Port from Bombay, Kurrachee, Egypt, Beyrouth, the Province of Tripoli, and the Province of Benghasi shall, before landing, give to the Boarding Officer the address of the place where they intend to reside, and should they, before the expiration of 15 days from their arrival, change their place of residence, they shall give due notice to the Superintendent of Police, and give the address of their new residence.

During the period of fifteen days from their arrival, all persons referred to in the preceding paragraph of this notice shall be subject to be visited by the District Medical Officer every day between 10 and 11 A.M. at the Government Dispensary of the district in which such persons reside.

By command,

F. VELLA,

Acting Chief Secretary to Government.  
Palace, Valletta, August 13, 1898.

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*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, August 26, 1898.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Decree respecting Quarantine, issued by the Belgian Government, viz. :—

Moniteur Belge 20 Août 1898.

Ministère de l'Agriculture et des Travaux Publics.

Service de Santé, Hygiène Publique et Voirie Communale.

Peste.—Mesures aux frontières de mer.

Le Ministre de l'agriculture et des travaux publics,

Vu l'arrêté royal du 5 Avril 1897, prescrivant des mesures sanitaires relativement à l'importation et au transit des marchandises provenant de pays ou de circonscriptions territoriales déclarés contaminés de peste ;

Vu spécialement les articles 5 et 6 de cet arrêté chargeant le Ministre de l'agriculture et des travaux publics de désigner les pays ou parties de pays à l'égard desquels le régime prévu par les articles 1er à 4 du dit arrêté sera rendu applicable et de régler les mesures à prendre dans les ports à l'égard des navires considérés comme infectés, suspects ou indemnes, au point de vue de la visite médicale, de l'isolement et de la désinfection ;

Revu l'arrêté ministériel du 3 Janvier 1898 ;

Vu l'avis de la commission sanitaire de l'Escout.

Arrête :

ART. 1er. Les dispositions qui font l'objet des articles 1er à 4 de l'arrêté royal du 5 Avril 1897, susvisé, sont rendus applicables aux provenances de la province du Bengale, de la partie de l'empire chinois, située au sud du 30e degré de latitude et de l'île de Formose.

ART. 2. Ces provenances, arrivant par voie de mer, seront soumises à la station sanitaire de l'Escout et dans les ports d'Ostende et de Nieuport, au régime stipulé par les chapitres II, III et IV du règlement sanitaire général annexé à la Convention sanitaire internationale de Venise, en date du 19 Mars 1897.

Bruxelles, le 16 Août 1898.

LÉON DE BRUYN.

*Admiralty, 22nd August, 1898.*

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Wheeler is placed on the Retired List on account of age, under Her Majesty's Order in Council of 29th November, 1881. Dated 18th August, 1898.

Captain Archibald Paris (Seconded List) to be Major on the Establishment, vice Wheeler, retired. Dated 18th August, 1898.

Lieutenant Archibald Primrose Liston Foulis to be Captain, additional, in lieu of Major Paris, extra regimentally employed. Dated 18th August, 1898.

*Admiralty, 23rd August, 1898.*

THE following promotions have been made :— Staff Engineer Charles Underhill to be Fleet Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 9th August, 1898.

Chief Engineer Colin McKenzie Norris to be Staff Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 1st August, 1898.

Chief Engineer John William Fleming to be Staff Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 9th August, 1898.

*Admiralty, 24th August, 1898.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Captain William Metcalfe Lang has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 19th August, 1898.

Commander Ernest Goldfinch Rason has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 16th August, 1898.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 28th November, 1887—

Lieutenant William Foderingham Domville Walker has been allowed to assume the title of Retired Commander. Dated 10th November, 1896.

Staff Surgeon John Speare Lambert has been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 25th July, 1898.

The undermentioned Surgeons have been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Alfred Ernest Weightman.

James Walter Octavius Underhill, M.B.

Charles Hazlitt Upham.

Frederick James Burns, M.D.

Daniel Joseph Patrick McNabb.

Charles Strickland.

James Mead France.

John Menary, M.D.

Walter Godfrey Axford.

George Thomas Broatch, M.B.

William Bett.

Frederick Augustus Brice.

John Walter Slaughtor, B.A., M.B.

George Henry Foott, M.D.

Dated 20th August, 1898.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*26th August, 1898.*

*Royal Engineers,* Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred C. Bruce retires on an Indian pension. Dated 27th August, 1898.

Major John C. L. Campbell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice A. C. Bruce. Dated 27th August, 1898.

Captain William R. Hilliard to be Major, vice J. C. L. Campbell. Dated 27th August, 1898.

*LINE BATTALIONS.*

*The Royal Warwickshire Regiment,* Lieutenant Augustus E. Vincent resigns his Commission. Dated 27th August, 1898.